House Amendment 2139

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Amend Senate File 601, as amended, passed, and
   2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
3 #1. Page 3, line 11, by striking the figure
4 <157,868,964> and inserting the following:
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   5 <131,868,964>.
          Page 3, line 24, by striking the figure
   6 <u>#2.</u>
   7 < 2,000,000 >  and inserting the following:
   8 <28,000,000>.
   9 <u>#3.</u>
         Page 4, by striking line 1 the inserting the
  10 following:
  Page 4, by striking line 10 and inserting the
  12 #4.
  13 following:
  ..... $ 23,204,000>
1 15 #5. Page 5, by inserting after line 5 the
  16 following:
                   UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK FUND.
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        <Sec.
  18 Notwithstanding section 455G.3, subsection 1, there is
  19 transferred from the Iowa comprehensive petroleum
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  20 underground storage tank fund created in section 21 455G.3, subsection 1, to the general fund of the state
1 22 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and
  23 ending June 30, 2008, the following amount:
                                                        . $ 3,000,000>
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  25 #6. By striking page 6, line 23, through page 7,
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  26 line 10, and inserting the following:
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      <a. Chief justice of the supreme court:
  28 ..... $
                                                                153,109
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      b. Each justice of the supreme court:
  30 ..... $
                                                                146,890
  31 c. Chief judge of the court of appeals:
  32 ..... $
                                                                141,731
  d. Each associate judge of the court of appeals:
                                                                136,739
  e. Each chief judge of a judicial district:
  36 ..... $ 37 f. Each district judge except the chief judge of
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                                                                133,619
            Each district judge except the chief judge of a
  38 judicial district:
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     g. Each district associate judge:
1 41 ...... $
                                                                113,214
1 42 h. Each associate juvenile judge:
  43 ..... $
44 i. Each associate probate judge:
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1 45 .....$
1 46 j. Each judicial magistrate:
  47 ..... $
                                                                34,882
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  48 k. Each senior judge:
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   2 <106,848,094>.
   3 <u>#8.</u> Page 12, line 10, by striking the figure 4 <8,171,248> and inserting the following: <6,771,248>.
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   5 #9. Page 15, line 27, by striking the figure
   6 <750,000> and inserting the following: <400,000>.
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 7 #10. Page 16, by striking lines 15 through 23.
8 #11. Page 19, by striking lines 4 through 12.
9 #12. Page 21, line 1, by striking the figure
10 <75,000> and inserting the following: <50,000>.
11 #13. Page 21, by striking lines 21 through 31.
12 #14. Page 22, line 10, by striking the figure
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  13 <2,000,000> and inserting the following: <500,000>.
14 #15. Page 23, line 9, by striking the figure
15 <500,000> and inserting the following: <200,000>.
  16 #16. By striking page 25, line 29, through page
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     26, line 2.
  18 <u>#17</u>. By striking page 26, line 35, through page
  19 27, line 13.
  20 \pm 18. Page 27, by inserting after line 25 the
  21 following:
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       <Sec.
                  . 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 874, section
2 23 7, subsection 4, paragraph a, if enacted, is amended
 24 to read as follows:
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For salaries, support, maintenance, and
  26 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
  27 following full=time equivalent positions:
  28 ..... $ 4,655,809
  29 ..... FTEs
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                  . OFFICE OF ENERGY INDEPENDENCE.
                                                         If 2007
  32 Iowa Acts, House File 927, is enacted and provides for
  33 an appropriation from the general fund of the state to
  34 the office of energy independence for the fiscal year
  35 beginning July 1, 2006, and ending June 30, 2007, 36 allocations from that appropriation for administrative
  37 costs shall be for not more than the following
  38 full=time equivalent positions:
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40 <u>#19</u>. By striking page 30, line 21, through page
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  41 31, line 17.
  42 \pm 20. Page 33, by inserting after line 6 the
  43 following:
  44 <Sec. ___. Section 469.10, subsection 2, if 45 enacted by 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 927, is amended
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  46 to read as follows:
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         2. Of the moneys appropriated to the office and
  48 deposited in the fund, the office shall utilize up to 49 one and five=tenths percent of the amount appropriated
2 50 from the fund for a fiscal year for administrative 3 1 costs. From the funds available for administrative
             the office shall not employ more than four
   3 full=time equivalent positions.>
4 <u>#21</u>. Page 35, by inserting after line 11 the
   5 following:
                             <DIVISION
                      APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENTS
   8 Sec. ___. VETERANS HOME OWNERSHIP ASSISTANCE 9 PROGRAM.
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      1. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa
  11 infrastructure fund to the department of veterans 12 affairs for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007
  13 and ending June 30, 2008, the following amount, or so
  14 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
  15 purpose designated:
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       For transfer to the Iowa finance authority to be
  17 used for continuation of the home ownership assistance
  18 program for persons who are or were eligible members
  19 of the armed forces of the United States, in
  20 accordance with section 35A.15, as enacted by 2007
  21 Iowa Acts, Senate File 407, notwithstanding section
  22 8.57, subsection 6, paragraph "c":
  23 .......
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       2. Of the funds transferred pursuant to this
  25 section, the Iowa finance authority may retain not 26 more than $20,000 for administrative purposes.
        3. Of the amount transferred to the Iowa finance
  28 authority pursuant to this section, not more than
  29 $50,000 shall be transferred to the department of
  30 public defense to be used for the enduring families
  31 program.
         4. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys
  33 appropriated or transferred in this section that
  34 remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the
  35 fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
  36 available for expenditure for the purposes designated
  37 until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
  38 Sec. ____. 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 562, section 39 3, subsection 3, paragraphs a and d, if enacted, are 40 amended to read as follows:
  41
         a. Community development programs
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        For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
  43 purposes, community economic development programs,
  44 tourism operations, community assistance, the
  45 mainstreet and rural mainstreet programs, the
  46 school=to=career program, the community development
47 block grant, and housing and shelter=related programs
  48 and for not more than the following full=time
  49 equivalent positions:
  50 ......$ <del>6,422,654</del>
                                                                   6,322,654
   2 ..... FTEs 3 d. From the moneys appropriated in this
   4 subsection, the department shall use at least
   5 $1,046,000 $946,000 for purposes of the mainstreet and
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6 rural mainstreet programs.
      Sec. ____. 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 562, section
  8 3, subsection 4, unnumbered paragraph 1, if enacted,
   9 is amended to read as follows:
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     For allocating moneys for the world food prize:
 11 ...... $
                                                                 650,000
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                                                                  450,000
                   2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 562, section
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        Sec. _
4 14 14, subsections 1 and 3, if enacted, are amended to
4 15 read as follows:
        1. There is appropriated from the general fund of
4 17 the state to the university of northern Iowa for the
  18 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June
  19 30, 2008, the following amount, or so much thereof as 20 is necessary, to be used for the metal casting
  21 institute, for the myentrenet internet application,
  22 and for the institute of decision making, including
  23 salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous 24 purposes, and for not more than the following
  25 full=time equivalent positions:
  26 .....$
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                                                                 <u>561,291</u>
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  30 the university of northern Iowa shall use at least
  31 $300,000 $200,000 for purposes of expanding the
  32 service area of the myentrenet internet application.
  33 Sec. ____. 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 575, section 34 4, subsection 1, paragraph b, unnumbered paragraph 1,
  35 if enacted, is amended to read as follows:
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      For educational programs for inmates at state penal
  37 institutions:
  38 ..... $
                                                              2,070,358
                                                               1,570,350
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                    2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 575, section
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4 41 5, subsection 1, paragraph f, unnumbered paragraph 1,
4 42 if enacted, is amended to read as follows:
4 43 For the sixth judicial district department of 4 44 correctional services:
4 45 ..... $ <del>12,203,009</del>
                                                              12,003,009
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                  2007 Iowa Acts, House File 874, section
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       Sec.
4 48 19, subsection 1, if enacted, is amended to read as
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  49 follows:
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        1. ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS
        For salaries, support, maintenance, and
   2 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
   3 following full=time equivalent positions:
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                                                              <del>1,431,015</del>
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                                                               1,331,015
   6 ..... FTEs
7 The state department or state agency which provides
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   8 data processing services to support voter registration
   9 file maintenance and storage shall provide those
  10 services without charge.>
  11 #22. By striking page 35, line 26, through page
  12 36, line 20, and inserting the following:
  13 < NEW SUBSECTION. 21. a. The director may 14 authorize the procurement of goods and services in
  15 which a contractual limitation of vendor liability is
  16 provided for and set forth in the documents initiating
  17 the procurement. The director, in consultation with
  18 the department of management, shall adopt rules
  19 setting forth the circumstances in which such
  20 procurement will be permitted and what types of 21 contractual limitations of liability are permitted.
  22 Rules adopted by the director shall establish criteria 23 to be considered in making a determination of whether 24 to permit a contractual limitation of vendor liability
  25 with regard to any procurement of goods and services.
  26 The criteria, at a minimum, shall include all of the 27 following:
        (1) Whether authorizing a contractual limitation
  29 of vendor liability is necessary to prevent harm to
  30 the state from a failure to obtain the goods or
  31 services sought, or from obtaining the goods or
  32 services at a higher price if the state refuses to
  33 allow a contractual limitation of vendor liability.
        (2) Whether the contractual limitation of vendor
5 35 liability is commercially reasonable when taking into
5 36 account any risk to the state created by the goods or
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5 37 services to be procured and the purpose for which they
5 38 will be used.
5 39 b. Notwithstanding paragraph "a", a contractual 5 40 limitation of vendor liability shall not include any 5 41 limitation on the liability of any vendor for
  42 intentional torts, criminal acts, or fraudulent
  43 conduct.
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               The rules shall provide for the negotiation of
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  45 a contractual limitation of vendor liability
  46 consistent with the requirements of this section and
  47 any other requirements of the department as provided
  48 in any related documents associated with a procurement
  49 of goods and services.>
  50 <u>#23</u>. Page 39, by striking lines 18 through 23. 1 <u>#24</u>. Page 40, by inserting after line 3 the
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    2 following:
      <Sec. ____. Section 135.105D, subsection 1A, as
enacted by 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 158, section 2,</pre>
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    5 is amended by adding the following new paragraph:
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          NEW PARAGRAPH. d. Notwithstanding any other
    7 provision to the contrary, nothing in this section
   8 shall subject a parent, guardian, or legal custodian
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  9 of a child of compulsory attendance age to any 10 penalties under chapter 299.>
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  11 \pm 25.
             By striking page 47, line 19, through page
  12 48, line 2.
  13 #26. Page 48, by striking lines 3 through 12. 14 #27. Page 52, by striking lines 5 through 12. 15 #28. Page 55, by inserting after line 22 the
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  16 following:
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          <Sec.
                         Section 505.8, Code 2007, is amended by
  18 adding the following new subsection:
19 NEW SUBSECTION. 8. The commissioner may, after a
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  20 hearing conducted pursuant to chapter 17A, assess
  21 fines or penalties, order restitution, or take other
  22 corrective action as the commissioner deems necessary
  23 and appropriate to accomplish compliance with the laws
  24 of the state relating to all insurance business
  25 transacted in the state.>
  26 \pm 29. Page 55, by striking lines 23 through 30.
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             By striking page 56, line 13, through page
  28 57, line 6.
29 #31. Page
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           Page 57, by inserting after line 35 the
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  30 following:
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          <Sec.
                    _. LEGISLATIVE PROPERTY TAX STUDY
  32 COMMITTEE.
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  1. A legislative property tax study committee is 4 established. The study committee shall conduct a 5 comprehensive review of property taxation in Iowa
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  36 including but not limited to the continued use of
  37 property taxes as a major funding source for local 38 governments and for local school districts in Iowa,
  39 the classification and assessment of property for
  40 property tax purposes and the impact of the tie
  41 between residential and agricultural property
  42 assessments, the level of consistency employed in
  43 classifying and assessing property for property tax
  44 purposes, the various exemptions and credits currently 45 available to property taxpayers and the impact on
  46 local government and state budgets and on other
  47 taxpayers of providing those credits and exemptions,
  48 and the use of property taxes as an economic
  49 development tool and the impact on local and state
  50 government budgets and on other taxpayers of such use.
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   1 In its study, the committee shall address the goals of 2 property tax simplification and equity.
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          2. a. The committee shall be comprised of the
    4 following voting members:
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          (1) Five members who are members of the senate,
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     three of whom shall be appointed by the majority
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      leader of the senate and two of whom shall be
    8 appointed by the minority leader of the senate.
          (2) Five members who are members of the house of
  10 representatives, three of whom shall be appointed by
  11 the speaker of the house of representatives and two of 12 whom shall be appointed by the minority leader of the
  13 house of representatives.
               The committee shall be comprised of the
          b.
  15 following nonvoting members who shall be appointed by
  16 the majority leader of the senate and the speaker of
7 17 the house of representatives in consultation with the
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7 18 minority leaders of the senate and the house of 7 19 representatives:

- (1) One member from an association representing 21 Iowa counties.
- (2) One member from an association representing 23 Iowa cities.
- 24 (3) One member from an association representing 25 Iowa school boards.
- 26 (4) One member from an association representing 27 agricultural property taxpayers. 28
- (5) One member from an association representing 29 Iowa commercial property taxpayers.
- (6) One member from an association representing 31 Iowa industrial taxpayers.
 - (7) One member representing residential taxpayers.
- (8) One member from an association representing 34 Iowa telecommunications property taxpayers.
- (9) Representatives of other interests as 36 designated by the legislative council.
- c. The committee shall be comprised of the 38 following nonvoting members who shall be appointed by 39 the governor:
- (1) A representative employed by the department of 41 management.
- (2) A representative employed by the department of 43 revenue.
- (3) A representative employed by the department of 45 economic development.
- 3. The property tax study committee shall meet 47 during the 2007 and 2008 legislative interims at the 48 call of the chairperson. The committee is authorized 49 to hold as many meetings as the committee deems 50 necessary.
- 4. The property tax study committee may contract with one or more tax consultants or experts familiar 3 with the Iowa property tax system. The legislative 4 council, pursuant to its authority in section 2.42, 5 may allocate to the study committee funding from 6 moneys available to it in section 2.12 for the purpose 7 of contracting with the consultant or expert.
- 8 5. The property tax study committee shall submit a 9 final report to the general assembly on or before 10 January 5, 2009. The final report shall include but 11 not be limited to findings, analyses, and 12 recommendations by the committee.> 13 ± 32 . By renumbering, relettering, or redesignating

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14 and correcting internal references as necessary.